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	North Lat.	East Long.	
Komene Aar	6 31 10	81 48 35	The Entrance to Kombochan River.
Little Basses	6 25 40	81 51 19	Centre of the Group. Derived from the
71			survey made in 1826 by H.M.S. Tamar.
Little Point	6 28 40	81 47 20	The nearest point of land to the Little Basses.
Elephant Rock Great Basses	6 23 48		A conspicuous object a little inland.
Great Basses	6 12 0	81 32 19	Longitude given by Mr. Higgs, being 15' 43"  E. of Trincomalee dockyard.
Amedowe Point .	6 17 10	81 28 20	The nearest land to the Great Basses.
Batticaloa	7.40 47	81 45 6	Fort. Latitude reduced from the observed
	. 10 1.	01 10 0	latitude of the harbour mouth. The longi-
			tude from that of Trincomalee. Mr. Higgs.
	7 43 32	81 44 49	Harbour mouth. Lat. observed. Mr. Higgs.
Hambantotte	6 6 58	81 10 42	Mr. Twynam, Master-Attendant at Point de
			Galle. The longitude being altered to
C1 / D		00 70 0	suit the amended longitude of Galle.
Calamatra Bay .	6 4 7	80 59 0	Idem.
Mahawelle Bay Tangalle	5 59 30 6 1 16	80 48 17 80 50 46	Id. Id.
Nillewelle Bay	5 57 37	80 46 19	1a. Id.
Gandore	5 55 42	80 40 19	Id.
Dondra Head	5 55 15	80 38 48	Id.
Matura	5 56 26	80 36 5	Id.
Belligam Bay	5 57 30	80 29 18	Id.
Dodandowe Bay .	6 6 47	80 10 22	Id.
Galle	6 1 26	80 15 58	The longitude is a mean from numerous
			runs of vessels, including those of the
			Benares and Royal Tiger. It is unques-
Caltura	0.95	00 1 0	tionably very exact.
Pantura	$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 35 & 0 \\ 6 & 44 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	80 1 0 79 57 0	Approximate. $Id$ .
Mt. Livinia House	6 49 56	79 54 57	By bearing and measured distance from
mat. my mia 110use.	0 49 90	10 04 01	Colombo.
			01011400

The officers of her Majesty's navy and the masters of merchant vessels are earnestly requested to forward, under cover to the Colonial Secretary, any information they may collect, which can tend to increase the accuracy, or extend the limits of the preceding table.

Bearing of Adam's Peak from Colombo S. 78° 59' E.

"Galle N. 18 47 E.

Galle variation 1° 16'.5 E.

### Appendix to Messrs. Isenberg and Krapf's Journal.

# III.—Routes in Abyssinia and the neighbouring Countries, collected from Natives. By Dr. C. Tilstone Beke.

[The difficulty of collecting satisfactory results from half-civilised people, and the errors occasioned by reports misunderstood, have long been a bar to the progress of our geographical knowledge with respect to countries of difficult access: the very judicious method, therefore, of avoiding such errors, adopted by Dr. Beke, and explained in the following extract from one of his letters, is well worthy of the attention of travellers.—Ep.]

"In order to obtain information I adopt the following course: I inquire, first, the time the caravan is going from one extremity

of the route to the other; secondly, how long a messenger on foot takes to do it; thirdly, the several stations on the route at which the caravan stops; fourthly, the general direction of the road; and, fifthly, if there is anything particular to be remarked with respect to the several stations. The results that I have come to from this mode of proceeding are:—that the number of the stations is almost equal to that of the days (including stoppages) employed by the caravan on the journey, and that a messenger on foot does three caravan stages in one day. A reference to the several routes will show this. I may add here, that a mule is considered to go at the same rate as a footman; but it is to be understood that it is never beaten, and is allowed to go at its own pace."

1. Route from Tajurrah to A'usa, and from thence to the Country of the Wollu Galla.—The caravan is about 15 days going to A'usa, and as much from thence to Héjra. A messenger on foot will reach A'usa in 4 or 5 days, and go from thence to Héjra in 4 days.

Caravan Stations.

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Dilliel .
              . 1 Station.
Ra'esha
              . 1
              . 1
Dafeni .
Asal
Halulli
              . 1
              . 1
Gogadi
                  - 6
Ungammana
              . 1
                       ••
Garubbus .
Fora
              . 1
Dákk .
                1
                      ,,
Abhébbard (lake) 1
Bodo .
                          cross the river H.
                       "
                       ,,
                  7
              . 1
Adobarhi
                       "
Erruli .
                 1
Garauni
              . 1
Mánat.
                       ,,
Magúrra
                 1
Te'o
                 1
                          hot springs.
                       ,,
Husein kóma . 1
                          in Arabic, Jebel Husein.
Addorta
                          (name forgotten by my informant.)
Saka'ela
                       "
Tareira
              . 1
                1
                          before crossing the river.
                       ٠,
R. Hawásh
               ./1
                           after do.
Remi .
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Inká ela
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Carried over 13
Tajurrah, 14th Dec., 1840.

Gambéla

Harrar

,,

1 ,, 25 Stations.

Asbali

Udau

<sup>\*</sup> The whole place of Zeïla' only a short distance from that town.

#### I .- Titles of Ethiopic Books mentioned by their Writer, a learned Abyssinian.

- 1. Arághwi Manfezáwi.
- 2. Felikiyus.
- 3. Manshak.
- 4. Taamrát.

- Taamia.
   Gadela Zamatal.
   Tamera Maryam.
   Délsana Maryam.
   A'rgano (Organon).
   Senkesár (Synaxaria).
- 10. Gadela Giyorgis.
- Tamera Giyorgis.
   Gadela Tekla Ḥaïmanót.
- 13. Gadela Gebra Marfa Kedus.
- 14. Gadela Gebra Khristos.15. Abú Shákir.16. Zéná Markos.

- 17. Hezand Mora.
- 18. Echí Yohannes.
- 19. Zéna Aïhud.
- 20. Genzet.
- 21. Giyorgis Wold Amed.

- 22. Matshafa Mistir.23. Erotaa Haïmanót.24. Wudastyé Amlak.
- 25. Dersana Mikhaïl.
- 26. Dersana Med-han'álim.
- 27. Kufályé.28. Lefafa Tsedek.29. Egziyab hér Negs.
- 30. Amada Mistir. 31. Tama Degwa.
- 32. Zéná Fitrat.

#### II .- Itinerary from Tajurrah to Ankóbar.

Date.	Time of .	Journey.	Hours Travel- ling.	Estimated distance given in Hours.	Direction.	Place of Arrival.	Remarks.
1839. <b>A</b> pril 26	From 6% A.M.	To 9 <b>‡</b> A.M.	3	(11)	W.S.W.	A'nbabo.	Lies on the Ghubbat- el-Kharáb or Bay of Tajurrah, which ex- tends further inland in a W. direction.
,, 27	3 а.м. 5½ а.м.	5 A.M. 6 A.M.	2 ± ±			Dņllul. Suktá.	Road continues along the coast.
	(6 A.M.)	(6½ A.M.)	ł	5 from Tajurrah		Saggállo.	Lies & h. S.W. from Dullul.
,, 29	Midnight, 28	74 A.M.	74	4	w.	Point of leaving coast.	Saw western end of larger bay.
					N.W.	Ankycféro.	Gall'allife'o, calle d Ankyeféro.
					Do. Do.	Derkellé. Wardelisán, or Warde- lihán.	12j 020501
					w.	Halting place with	
,, 30	3 а.м.		3?	14 from Warde- lissan.	S.W. and S.		About 3 h. in a direct line from the point where they left the bay.
l	1		1	4?	w.	Daferri.	bay.
		8 A.M.	1?	±?	W. ?	Caravauseraï. Marmariso valley.	Saw salt-lake.
	3 р.м.	7 A.M.	4	2*	S.W.	Muyà, an eminence.	Road very winding round southern end of lake, in a straight line only 4 h.
May 1	1½ A.M.	10 A.M.	81	4	S.	To salt-lake lying 2 h. distant from W. end of bay (Halaksitán.)	
,, 2	5} A.M.	81 а.м.	4	2	W. and S.W. W. S. & S.W.	Gungunta. Allulli.	Through valleyKallu,
,, 3	З А.М.	7 а.м.	4	2?	W. N.W. & S.W.	Gagade.	near the Mudaïtus.
"	1   A.M.	8 A.M. }	6 }	3	w. s.	Karautu. Dalibuï.	Caravan road here branches off west or north-west to Hausá.

					7	,	
Date.	Time of	Journey.	Hours Travel- ling.	Estimated distance given in Hours.	Direction.	Place of Arrival.	Remarks.
1839. May 5	From 3 A.M. 3 P.M.	То 7 а.м. 63 р.м.	3 <del>1</del> 3	21 13	S.W. Almost W. & then more S.	Little Marhu. Halting place.	
,, 6	3½ а.м.	8 ф А.М.	5	3	General route southward	Ramudeli.	
,, 7	3½ А.м. З р.м.	8½ A.M. 8 P.M.	5 5	3 21		Goba'ad. Arábdera.	
,, 8 ., 9	3 A.M. 5∦ A.M.	10 A·M· 10₫ A.M.	7 41	4 2½?	W. & then S.	Dawaïleka. Mount Mari.	
"	3¼ Р.М.	After sunset.	6 ?	3?	W.? S.W.	W. side of Mountain. Lukki.	Rested I hour on road.
,, 10	44 А.М. З Р.М.	9½ A.M. 6¾ P.M.	*3¾ 3¾	2 ?	S.W.	Kíllelu.	
,, 11	l A.M.	8½ A.M.	74	21 ?	S.W., W., N., N.W. & W.	Barudega.	Many obstacles and delays on road.
	3½ р.м.	8 р.м.	41/2	21?	S.W.	Halting place near Gayel.	
,, 12 ,, 14	5⅓ Р.м.	6 р.м.?	4?	2	S.W.? S.W.	Gayel. Alibékele.	Remained there a day. Remained here till 16th.
,, 16 ,, 17	3 P.M. 7 A.M.	7 p.m. 8½ A.m.	4 1½	1½? ¾	s.w.		Much delayed by rain. Saw mountains of Harrar before them, and W., 2½ days' journey distant.
,, 18 ,, 19 ,, 21	6½ A.M. 5¾ P.M. Sunrise.	10½ A.M. 8½ P.M. 9½ A.M.	4 21 5?	2 ? 1½ ?	S.W. W. S.W.	Great Hasnadera Mullu. Wuderdera.	Over stony ground.
	3½ P.M.	8 P.M.	41	2½ 2½? ½?	S.W. S.W.?	Korde'eti.	
,, 23	5 A.M.	9∦ А.М.	44	24?	s.w.	Métta. Kummi.	
	3½ Р.М. 7 Р.М.	7 P.M. 8 P.M.	3½ 1	4 ? 4 ?	w. w.	Ruined Bedwin vil- lage.	
,, 24 ,, 25	5½ A.M. 6 A.M.	10½ а.м. 9 а.м.	5 3	2½? 1½?	W.S.W. W.	Hamwi'sa. Little Mulla.	From hence the road was almost always W. (Krapf.)
,, 26	3 P.M.	8½ P.M.	5 <del>1</del>	3?	W. ?	Berduda.	··· (ILIMPIL)
,, 27 ,, 28	5 ½ A·M. 2 ½ A·M·	9 A.M. (10 A.M.?)	4½ 8?	2½? 4?	W. ? W.	Hanni. Debhille,	In the valley of the Hawash.
,, 29	41 A.M.	61 A.M.	2?	1?	s.w.	Bank of the Hawash,	And crossed the Ha- wash to near Mel- kukuyu.
,, 30	41 A.M.	11 а.м.	6₹?	31?	S.W.? & W.		nakaya.
,, 31	3½ P.M. 4½ A.M.	Evening. 8 A.M.	5 ? 3¾	3 ? 2 ?	W.?		Frontier plan of I'fát.
			184	95		of Farri.	Waited for permission from king to proceed.
June 5				4?	W.? W.?	Aliu Amba. Ankôbar. Metakuï.	Did not stop there.
,, 7	The state of the s	1 р.м.		102			On the road between Ankóbar and An- gollolla.
,, 11							

III .- Thermometrical Observations.

111.— The moment tout Oose currents.									
Date.	Place.	Time of Day.	Thermometer. (Fahrenheit's Scale.)	Remarks.					
1839. April 9	Tajurrah	1 P.M.	93 in the shade.						
,, 22 ,, 23	Do. Do.	_	95 in the room. 90 do.	Sky overcast.					
,, 23	Saggallo		945	Sky overcast.					
,, 28	Do.	11 л.м.	$96\frac{1}{2}$						
" 30	Daferri Do.	Noon.	99 100						
	Do.	Later.	102						
May 1	Gungunta	Noon.	107						
_	Do.	3 г.м. { Between }	106						
,, 3	Gagade	11 A.M. and	106 to 109	Wind not so hot as					
<i>"</i>	_	1 to 2 P.M.	• • •	on preceding days.					
4	Do.	$3\frac{1}{2}$ P.M.	107 97						
,, 4	Dalibuï Do.	11½ а.м. Noon.	98						
_	Do.	1 г.м.	99						
<u>_</u>	Do.	5 P.M.	9 <b>7</b> 9 <b>5</b>						
,, 5	Little Marha . Do.	Noon.	97						
, 5 _ _	Do.	$\frac{1}{2}$ P.M.	100						
_	Do.	Î P.M.	102						
	Do. Do.	$\frac{2\frac{1}{4}}{2}$ P.M. $\frac{2}{2}$ P.M.	$\frac{103\frac{1}{2}}{104}$						
,, 6	Ramudeli	$ll^{\frac{1}{2}}$ A.M.	102						
-	Do.	2 Р.М.	102						
" 9	Mari Do.	10½ а.м. 11 а.м.	90 9 <b>3</b>						
	Do.	1 P.M.	97						
<u> </u>	Do.	Ī P.M.	98						
, 10 , 11	Lukki Barudega	$\begin{array}{c c} 11\frac{1}{2} \text{ A.M} \\ 11\frac{1}{2} \text{ A.M.} \end{array}$	97 103						
,, II	Do.	1 Р.м.	95	After a shower of rain.					
., 12	{ Resting-place }	10 а.м.	93						
,, 12	near Gayel S	10½ A.M.	98						
	Do.	1½ P.M.	107						
	Do.	2 Р.М.	108						
	Do. Gayel	$\frac{3\frac{1}{2}}{7\frac{1}{4}}$ A.M.	108 82						
"_ 13	Do.	8½ A.M.	85						
ļ —	Do.	$10\frac{1}{2}$ A.M.	98						
	Do. Do.	$11\frac{1}{4}$ A.M. Noon.	$105$ $105\frac{1}{5}$						
=	Do.	1 р.м.	$108\frac{1}{2}$						
l	Do.	13 P.M.	109						
" 14	Alibékele	$2\frac{1}{2}$ P.M.	103	A thunder-storm ap-					
-	Do.	2\frac{3}{4} P.M.	$101\frac{1}{2}$	proaching.					
— , <u> </u>	Do.	3 P.M.	99   87						
,,_ 15	Do. Do.	7¼ A.M. 10¾ A.M.	99						
-	Do.	114 A.M.	1021						
- 16	Do. Do.	$\begin{array}{c c} 11\frac{1}{2} \text{ A.m.} \\ 6 \text{ A.m.} \end{array}$	106 78						
,_ <sup>16</sup>	Do.	8 A.M.	86						
-	Do,	9 а.м.	88						
•		•	•	•					

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Date.	Date. Place.		Thermometer. (Fahrenheit's Scale.)	Remarks.
" 18 " 20 " 21 " 23 " 24 " 25 " 26 " 27	Alibékele Do. Do. Do. Do. Do. Great Hasnadera Mullu Do. Korde'eti Métta and Hamawísa Great Mullu	10\frac{1}{4} A.M. 11\frac{1}{4} A.M. Noon. 1 P.M. 1\frac{1}{4} P.M. 9\frac{1}{2} A.M. 10 A.M. \frac{1}{2} P.M. \frac{2}{2} P.M. 2\frac{1}{2} P.M. 2\frac{1}{2} P.M. 2 P.M. 1 P.M. 1 P.M. 1 P.M. 1 P.M. 1 P.M. 4\frac{1}{2} P.M. 6 P.M. 6 P.M. During aftern. 4\frac{1}{2} P.M. 9 P.M. After sunrise. 11\frac{1}{4} A.M. \frac{1}{2} P.M. During night.	94½ 100 98 105½ 107 90 94 104 107 110½ 106 92 106 103 110 98 103 69 105 102 73 66 104 100 { Not much above 40.	Sky overcast.  Sky overcast.  Hazy. Wind N.E.; warm.